### MEN NEEDED TO FIGHT FIRES

Flames Destroy Timber Tracts Need Not Pay Freight on Calves Born in the West.

ASSUME A SERIOUS ASPECT

Forest Officials Almost Overwhelmed With Reports of New Forest Fires in Montana and Idaho-Men Already Their Strenuous Labors and Cannot Fight Much Longer.

Missoula, Mont., Aug. 3.-The forest fires in Western Montana and Idaho help. Large crews have been organized and dispatched to the more serious blazes.

Word was received that the fire on wide and ten miles long.

In addition to the new fires which threaten the whole district there are fires raging at Drexel, Bon Ton and St. Regis Junction.

Men, men, men, is the frenzied cry and the lumbermen of Western Montana. "We can't keep up this pace much longer," said a forestry man. "The men already on the ground cannot continue the work of fire fighting indefinitely, nor can we go on getting 100 or 150 new men each day very many more days. The available supply is now almost exhausted, at least

A new fire was reported about three miles north of Huson. Supervisor Koch is endeavoring to get together a crew large enough to handle this

Four New Fires Reported.

that the fire in the Blackfoot country has broken but of control, and is fort to reach his home in Baltimore working it's way into a state section alive. By the use of oxygen the docof land on which stands much valuable tor expects to take his patient through. tim oer. More men are asked for this e, but it is found impossible to secure them.

Several hundred men from Butte are fighting fires in this part of the state. Twenty-seven have been hurried to Avery to work on the big fire that threatens the Montana divide.

One hundred and eighteen men a discolored eye. came from Butte to help the forestry | "Funny thing any one can't take a men. Of these fifty went straight penny ride without everybody glarin' through to Cabinet, Ida., thirty left at 'em." she remarked, fixing a small the train at Thompson and twenty gentleman wearing gray whiskers and stopped at Paradise. Thirty-eight a somewhat rusty top hat with her men went to Saltese, fifty will remain normal optic. there and the rest will go to Adair, The small gentleman suddenly be-

It is earnestly hoped 300 more men | ment. can be secured from Butte. Fifty of working its way of devastation up pass," continued the lady. the mountainside in a swath twelve Silence, allied with soap advertisemiles wide.

Killed Fighting Fires.

Butte, Mont., Aug. 3.—William H Polleys of the Polleys Lumber company, formerly of Lincoln, Neb., was killed by a falling tree while fighting the forest fires.

FISH DYING BY THOUSANDS

Esch Will Demand That the Curlew Be Dispatched on Rescue Work.

La Crosse, Wis., Aug. 3.—Congressman Esch will petition the superintendent of the United States fish hatchery at Manchester, Ia., to detail the government steamer Curlew and crew to rescue work in the vicinity of La Crosse. Reports received by Mr. Esch show that thousands of fish are get along?" dying in this locality as a result of the low water. Local fishermen are wrought up over what they claim to fo' my money?" be inactivity on the part of the United States fisheries, many saying the boats have done but little on the upper river this season. Should Mr. Esch's request fail to bring results petitions will be forwarded to Washington.

Difficulty Settled.

Dubuque, Ia., Aug. 3.—The difficulty between the Dubuque railroads and the freight handlers, in which a truce was entered into a month ago, has been permanently settled. The men will receive 171/2 cents an hour in stead of 16 cents.

Few Returns Received.

St. Louis, Aug. 3.-Results of the second primary election in Missouri are in doubt where more than one candidate sought the party nominabeen received.

Ends Life in a Saloon.

Hardin, Mont., Aug. 3 .- Telling five men who looked on, "Well, boys, here's ho!" Samuel Ross shot himself through the heart in a saloon here. A bartender who divined Ross' intention, entreated him not to shoot, but Ross only laughed, and, before the spectators could restrain him, he fired. FARMER GAINS HIS POINT

on Train.

Washington, Aug. 3.-A farmer in Illinois, changing his habitat, engaged a freight car and packed his furniture and other household effects in one end and his herd of cows, ten in number, in the other end. The Chicago Great Western railroad, to accommodate migratory farmers, makes a special rate, furnishing a combination car for furniture and cattle, but restricts the number of the latter to ten. The farmer referred to above made

on the Ground Exhausted From the proper arrangements with the station agent and bid goodbye to the scene of his unsuccessful endeavors When the car arrived at the destination the station agent there checked up the cattle and found there were have assumed the most serious aspect born en route. He promptly assessed twelve head, two calves having been since the first blaze was discovered excess freight rate on them and the sixty days ago. Forest officials here farmer complained to the officials o are almost overwhelmed with reports the road. They decided his complaint of new fires, old fires spreading and was good, but informed him that un appeals for help from the rangers. der the law they could not make re The service here echoes the cry for fund, as in their opinion it would be in violation of the anti-rebate section of the interstate commerce act.

However, they informed him that they would take the matter up with the St. Joe river in Idaho was eating and secure permission to make the refund. The communication from the having destroyed an area five miles railroad company relating the circumstances has reached the commission and formal permission to refund the freight assessed on the two calves Lewis from the headquarters of the ing considered the matter was that it will be granted.

of the forestry officials, the railroads BY ADMINISTERING POISON

Iowa Woman Kills Two Young Daughters and Herself.

Davenport, Ia., Aug 3.-After care- about 1,200 delegates. fully arranging the burial robes for all three Mrs. Nick Nehlson, wife of a farmer, administered fatal doses of ROOSEVELT IN THE

daughters, aged two and four years. The elopement of a daughter with a man many years her senior greatly preyed upon the mind of the mother, it is said.

Joe Gans Sinking Albuquerque, N. M., Aug. 3.-Joe Four new fires were reported from the Clearwater forest, just across the range from Lolo. Word was received querque, apparently sinking. The querque, apparently sinking. The

SHE WAS AGGRESSIVE.

Lucky For the Little Man He Was Not Her Husband.

The lady in the offside corner of the tramear possessed a truculent air and

came interested in a soap advertise-

"If any one can't 'ave a black eye these will be sent Supervisor Koch of without Tom. Dick and Harry askin' the Lolo forest to fight a fire that is questions things are comin' to a pretty

ment study, though eminently discreet, was ineffective.

"You I'm a-talkin' to." The lady prodded the small gentleman's knee with her umbrella. "Bin settin' there this last ten minutes, you 'ave, wonderin' if my 'usban' gives it to me. If it'll ease yer mind, 'e did. Is there anything else?"

"Madam," the small gentleman commenced, "had I been your husband"-"I should 'a' got off at th' cemetery with a wreath instead o' goin' ter the orsepital with a visitor's ticket," snapped the lady, "and the wreath wouldn't 'a been expensive either." - London

Room and Board For Single Gentleman "So, Belinda, I hear you and 'Doc' have parted company. Couldn't you

"No'um; least I couldn't. D'ye know that low down nigger just ma'ied me proposed for the new county. "No?" I said.

my pa'lor, silber butter dishes and crayon portraits that you and the othe' der would be the county seat of Yelwhite ladies' gi' me, and he just lowstone, while Schafer would remain thought he was goin' to set in there as the county seat of McKenzie and smoke while I washed and I'ned. county. And I had a big burial insurance, too. and he knowed that. So I jes' natchully tu'ned him out."

"Yes," I said. "But I thought I saw him going in your back gate last

week. "Oh, to be sure! He's round, but he's jes' boa'din' with me now."-Ladies' Home Journal.

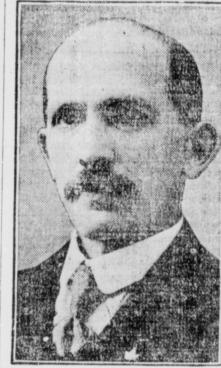
Beginning of the Germ Theory. Agostino Bassi, a country doctor in the north of Italy, early in the last century was the starter of the germ theory of disease. At that time a peculiar disease was killing the silktion. But few scattering returns have worms, bringing ruin to the whole silk country of Italy. Bassi, by the microscope, discovered the germ which is the cause of the disease. The germ later was named Botritis bassiana Bassi believed and stated that human diseases were also caused by germs. Bassi's work was sneered at and poohpoohed by his fellow men and physicians, and he failed to make a lasting

impression, thereby losing great glory

for Italia.-New York Press.

THOMAS L. LEWIS.

Calls Convention of Miners to Meet at Indianapolis.



TO MEET AT INDIANAPOLIS

President Lewis Calls Convention of Miners.

organization here.

The text of the call states that the Crane. purpose of the convention is to con- The statement was reiterated, how-

MINING DISTRICT

Former President Visits Homes of Toilers.

vania anthracite regions. He met and ence in the cabinet as a handicap.

breaker and spent half an hour there cessions to the Garfield wing. experiences. The best part of it all, to resign.

Many of the toilers had no idea of the ex-president's identity, which he took care to conceal, when possible, until after he had finished his talk.

VOTE ON COUNTY DIVISION

Alexander Hopes to Be Seat of Proposed New County.

Schafer, N. D., Aug. 3.-McKenzie county has been added to the roll of those in this state having county division contests, the county commissioners having granted the petition asking for a vote. Yellowstone is the name

The new county will take in all the western part of McKenzie county, the "Yas'm. He saw all them things in line being drawn directly north and south at almost the center. Alexan-

Pythians on Parade.

gades of Knights of Pythias, resplendent in the natty uniforms of their rank, paraded the principal streets flanked on either side by dense crowds of cheering people that extended for blocks. This was the feature of the second day of the grand encampment, uniform rank.

Dakota Men Will Try to Fly.

Grand Forks, N. D., Aug. 3.-The 'Dakota" is the name of an aeroplane that has been built in Grand Forks by Messrs. McGuire and Prather and it will be given its initial test this driver of the hearse in his dream. He week. This machine is not as large thereupon promptly left the elevator as the Wright aeroplane. Its engine and walked upstairs. The car ascendis of thirty horsepower, driving a sixfoot propeller at the rate of about 1,200 revolutions a minute. H. B. Prather is scheduled to make the ini death. Had they also, one wonders, tial flight.

BEGINNING TO HAVE EFFECT

War on Ballinger Stirs Up the President's Advisers.

RESIGNATION NOT REQUESTED

And It Is Stated That the Chief Executive Will Never Ask the Secretary of the Interior to Resign-Party Leaders Have Talked With the President About the Sentiment in Regard to Seattle Man.

Beverly, Mass., Aug. 3.—There is ncreasing evidence here that the recent bombardment of the president with letters from Republican leaders in all parts of the country protesting that Secretary of the Interior Ballinger was proving an embarrassment in the laying of plans for the coming congressional campaign is beginning to have effect, if not upon the president himself, at least upon the advisers who are closest to him.

No attempt was made to deny the reports that Senator Crane at the very outset of his political pilgrimage Indianapolis, Aug. 3.—A call for a in the West had probably suggested to special convention of the United Secretary Ballinger that his duty to Mine Workers of America, to be held the party might require that he sacriin this city, beginning Aug. 11, has fice his place in the cabinet. All that been issued by President Thomas L. Secretary Norton would say after havwould be necessary to ask Senator stantially as follows:

sider the strike situation in districts ever, that President Taft "would not where wage contracts have not been so much as lift his little finger if by sc doing he could secure the retirement party of the nation. The convention will be composed of of Secretary Ballinger as head of the interior department."

In addition to the letters he has received, the president has heard verbally from party leaders regarding the sentiment toward Secretary Ballinger.

Talked Frankly on the Subject.

They have talked frankly with Mr. Taft on the subject, it is said, and while they agreed with the president apparently in his position that nothing has been proved against Secretary Ballinger, they have put the matter purely on a party basis and have said the campaign would be much easier with the Ballinger issue eliminated. that the Roosevelt spent the day among the fight is going to be a hard one at workers in the heart of the Pennsyl- Mr. Ballinger, they regard his pres-

talked with the men as they came | President Taft was frankly told a from the mines black with grime. He | few days ago the movement behind talked with them about their homes, James R. Garfield in Ohio and the their children and their manner of votes cast for him in the state conliving. He talked with their wives vention were a protest against Sectheir own lips how they look at life. recognized the strength of this move-He climbed to the top of a coal ment by making many platform con-

in the stifling coal dust so that he | There was no disposition in Beverly might see what the boys who work to treat the meeting of Senator Crane there have to do. He spent another and Secretary Ballinger in Minneaphalf hour in a silk mill talking with olis as "accidental." It was intimated, the girl workers. He visited the peo- however, that whatever move was beple in their homes and saw how they ling made against Secretary Ballinger lived. He plodded two miles through had its inception with the active the dust, up hills and in all manner of leaders and not with President Taft. places and returned in the evening The president, it can be positively you that the strike of conductors and black with grime, but smiling at his stated, will never ask Mr. Ballinger

he said repeatedly, was that he was If the secretary should feel called through government intervention." able to meet the people as a private upon to resign, however, there is said citizen and talk to them as man to to be little doubt that his resignation King made the announcement and would be accepted.

Ballinger Will Not Resign.

Chicago, Aug. 3.—Secretary Ballin-Others who knew who he was treated ger denied that his conference with him, he said, not as former president. Senator Crane in Minneapolis related but as a plain man who had come to to or would be followed by his resigsee them, to talk and learn their con- nation. He said the matter discussed was not even of direct interest to him. He denounced his foes in strong language and said he intended to ignore them entirely.

DYNAMITE DOCK MACHINERY

Unknown Persons Blow Up That at Superior, Wis.

Duluth, Aug. 3.-No trace has been found of the men who attempted to destroy the new machinery on the Philadelphia and Reading coal dock in Superior by blowing it up with dy-

Two explosions occurred, one just before midnight and the second at 12:35. They were distinctly heard even in Duluth. The total damage to the machinery is about \$10,000.

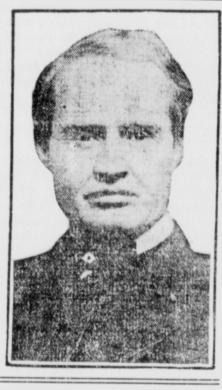
The motive for the act is not known. The Heyl-Patterson company is erectrun on the open shop plan and some near future. Milwaukee, Aug. 3.-Twenty bridtime ago had trouble with the labor unions on another job, but it blew over and Superintendent Goshorn says he can offer no explanation for the act. No strangers were seen about the dock by the watchman.

Saved by a Dream.

"Hints conveyed by dreams are occasionally worth beeding." says the London Chronicle. "The late Lord Dufferin when in Paris dreamed that he was in a hearse on the way to the cemetery. A few days later, as he was about to enter the elevator of a certain hotel, he was startled to find that the attendant was a double of the ed without him, but as it neared the top something in the mechanism gave way, and the passengers met their been forewarned in a dream?"

W. R. STUBBS.

Progressive Nominated for Governor of Kansas.



ANXIOUS TO ENDORSE TAFT

Iowa Standpatters Pleased With His Administration.

Des Moines, Aug. 3 .- The standpat leaders, after a day of ceaseless conferences, drafted resolutions calculated to shatter the last shadow of harmony at the Republican state convention. The text of the planks for which they agreed to fight is sub-

First-We endorse President Will iam H. Taft and his administration of the affairs of the nation. We endorse him as the leader of the Republican

Second-We endorse the economical and statesmanlike administration of Governor B. F. Carroll, leader of the Republican party in the state of Iowa Third-We endorse the action of President Taft in placing his signature and his approval upon the Payne Aldrich tariff bill and to this law we give our full and unqualified endorse

Fourth-In so far as they have aided President Taft in carrying out the policies and programme of the administration we endorse the Iowa delegation at Washington.

It is believed the progressives will defeat these resolutions. If such is the case it is not impossible that the standpatters will bolt the convention

STRIKE ON THE GRAND TRUNK ROAD SETTLED

and their children and learned from retary Ballinger. The Ohio leaders Both Sides Seem Satisfied With Agreement.

> Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 3.-Canada's minister of labor, Mackenzie King, sent this telegram to Weyburn, Saskatchewan, to Sir Wilfrid Laurier:

"Am delighted to be able to inform trainmen on the Grand Trunk railway system has been brought to an end The Grand Trunk strike is settled produced an agreement signed by

both parties. of disorderly conduct, will be rein- 1 Northern, \$1.18%; No. 2 Northern, stated as soon as possible. The in- \$1.16%; Sept., \$1.12%; Dec., \$1.10%; creases as offered from July 18 be- May, \$1.13%. Flax-In store and on come effective and date back to May

On Jan. 1, 1912, the standard rates \$2.23. of pay, as on the Canadian Pacific, will go into effect.

This is a year sooner than was previously proposed. The agreement will the system also. It has been signed by President Hays for the Grand Trunk road and by several international officers for the men.

President Garretson of the conductors and President Lee of the trainmen both declare they are satisfied with the terms of the settlement. Both left for St. Louis.

Strike Called Off.

St. Albans, Vt., Aug. 3.--A message received from Montreal by Teral Manager C. T. Jones of the Central Vermont railroad said that the strike of trainmen had been called off. Ac cording to the message the men are ing the machinery. The company is expected to report for work in the

> TO OPEN FOR SETTLEMENT Thousands of Acres of Land Will Be

Restored to Entry.

Washington, Aug. 3.-Thousands of acres of unappropriated lands, eliminated from the national forests and restored to the public domain by recent proclamations of President Taft, will be thrown open to homestead set tlement and entry this fall, according to orders issued by Acting Secretary Pierce of the interior department The lands are located in Oregon Utah, Idaho and Wyoming. The sec retary also has restored to settlement on Oct. 22 and to entry on Nov. 23 about 9,220 acres in the Great Falls land district, formerly withdrawn.

To encourage talent is to create it .--

**PROGRESSIVES** WIN IN KANSAS

A ROMANCE IN SIGHT.

Started by the Unmasking of the Pai of Frauds.

Not until boarding houses cease to ex ist will all their romances be written Shabby romances, some of them are like that of the young woman who got so tired of being called "poor thing" because she received no invitations and had to eat all her meals at the STANDPATTERS ARE DEFEATED boarding house table that she took to eating alone once in awhile at a cheap restaurant and then brazenly lying about the friends who had invited her to dinner. There was a young man in that

house who never went anywhere en ther. The first night the girl stayed out life's desolation nearly overpowered him. "Even that poor little white faced soul has made friends who wan ber," he said. "Nobody wants me I'm no good on earth."

Then on rare occasions his place at the table was vacant, "New friends?" asked the landlady.

"Yes," lied the young man. One night the man and the girl met in a twenty-five cent restaurant. They blushed; they fenced; they finally con fessed. "We're a pair of frauds," said the

girl. "It's awful to think that tonight when we go home we will have to with the friends of both D. R. Answear that we have been dining with | thony, standpatter and present incum-

"Well," said the young man, "ain't we?"-New York Press.

RESULTS ON THE DIAMOND ger reports place A. C. Mitchell, pro-

American Association. Kansas City, 3; Toledo, 1. Columbus, 3; Milwaukee, 2. St. Paul, 5; Indianapolis, 1. Minneapolis, 12; Louisville, 1.

National League. Cincinnati, 6; Boston, 1. Chicago, 5; New York, 4. Brooklyn, 3, 5; St. Louis, 1, 4. Philadelphia, 6; Pittsburg, 1.

American League. Boston, 4; Detroit, 3. Philadelphia, 3; Chicago, 2. New York, 5; Cleveland, 2.

St. Louis, 5; Washington, 3. Western League. Omaha, 6: Denver, 11. Lincoln, 9, 0; Wichita, 6, 1. Des Moines, 3; St. Joseph, 6.

Three I League. Peoria, 2; Danville, 0. Waterloo, 4: Dubuque, 6. Davenport, 0; Rock Island, 3. Bloomington, 1; Springfield, 2.

Minneapolis Wheat.

Minneapolis, Aug. 2.-Wheat-Sept. \$1.101/8; Dec., \$1.091/2@1.095/8; Ma; \$1.1234. On track-No. 1 hard, \$1.18; No. 1 Northern, \$1.15%@1.16%; No. 2 Northern, \$1.13% @1.14%; No. Northern, \$1.11@1.12.

St. Paul Live Stock.

St. Paul, Aug. 2.-Cattle-Good to choice steers, \$5.25@5.75; fair to good, \$4.75@5.25; good to choice cows and tween W. H. Hurray of Tishomingo heifers, \$4.00@4.50; veals, \$5.50@7.00. and Lee Cruce of Ardmore for govern-Hogs-\$7.40@8.00. Sheep-Wethers, \$3.75@4.00; yearlings, \$4.25@4.50; the latter. spring lambs, \$6.00@6.50.

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, Aug. 2.-Wheat-To arrive All the strikers, save those guilty and on track-No. 1 hard, \$1.19%; No. track, \$2.461/2; to arrive and Sept., \$2.41½; Oct., \$2.29; Nov., \$2.27; Dec.,

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Aug. 2.—Wheat—Sept. \$1.00% @1.00%; Dec., \$1.03% @1.03%; affect the Central Vermont part of May, \$1.071/4. Corn-Sept., 621/4 @ 62%c; Dec., 60%c; May, 61½c. Oats —Sept., 36%@36%c; Dec., 37%c; May, 401/2c. Pork-Sept., \$21.571/2; Jan., \$17.90. Butter-Creamerles, 231/2@ 27½c; dairies, 23@26c. Eggs—10@ 17c. Poultry-Turkeys, 20c; chickens, 14c; springs, 16c.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Aug. 2.—Cattle—Beeves, \$4.65@8.10; Texas steers, \$3.50@5.50; Western steers, \$4.00@6.50; stockers and feeders, \$4.00@6.15; cows and heifers, \$2.50@6.25; calves, \$6.50@8. until Monday noon to ship whatever Hogs-Light, \$8.20@8.75; mixed, \$7.80@8.40; heavy, \$7.45@8.20; rough, \$7.45@7.70; good to choice heavy, \$7.-70@8.20; pigs, \$8.10@8.75. Sheep-Native, \$2.60@4.50; yearlings, \$4.50@ 5.75; lambs, \$4.50@7.00.

An Ominous Symptom

"A good wife is heaven's greatest gift to man and the rarest gem the earth holds," remarked Mr. Jarphly the other morning. "She is his joy. his inspiration and his very soul, Through her he learns to reach the pure and true, and her loving hands lead him softly over the rough places. She is"-

"Jeremiah." said Mrs. Jarphiy solemnly - "Jeremiah, what wickedness have you been up to now?"

Doubled In Value. A Missourian who bought some

Texas land and wanted to unlead it told a prospective buyer that it has "doubled in value since I bount it." "But," said the other, "you offered to sell it to me for the same price you paid. How has it doubled in value? "Well, you see, I gave twice as much as it was worth,"-Kansas City Star.

Nomination of Governor Stubbs Practically Assured.

Indications Are That the Majority of the Progressive Candidates for Congress Have Been Nominated-R. J. Hopkins, Progressive Candidate for Lieutenant Governor, Runs Close to

Topeka, Kr ., Aug. 3.-Indications point to a decided progressive gain in Kansas. The nomination of Governor W. R. Stubbs, who linked his fortunes with those of the progressive candidates for congress, is practically assured. Running close to him is R. J. Hopkins, progressive candidate for lieutepant governor.

The outcome in the First district congressional fight is still in doubt, bent, and of T. A. McNeal, progressive, claiming a majority.

from the Second district, though meagressive, in the lead. In the Third district P. P. Campbell, incumbent, is running ahead of Arthur Cranston, progressive, and the indications are he will be nominated.

In the Fourth district the progres-

sives have scored a decided victory by

Practically no returns have come in

electing Fred Jackson and defeating J. M. Miller, standpatter. In the Fifth district claims are made on very meager returns that R. R. Rees, progressive, has defeated W. A. Calderhead, standpatter, present incumbent. The outcome in this district

In the Seventh district E. H. Madi son is nominated without opposition, and in the Eighth Victor Murdock is nominated without opposition. Both are progressives. Charles Session was nominated for secretary of state without opposition, as was J. H. Daw-

and in the Sixth is still in doubt.

son for attorney general. Incomplete returns indicate that for representative First district, T. A. Mc-Neal, progressive, has defeated D. R. Anthony, standpatter, incumbent, by

GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES ONLY SCATTERING RETURNS

2,000 votes.

Those From Election in Oklahoma Are Slow.

Guthrie, Okla., Aug. 3 .-- With only scattering returns received from about fifty-five out of seventy-six counties of the state, indications are favorable to the nomination of J. W. McNeal, Republican, of Guthrie, for governor over Tom Ferguson, Fields and Jones. Returns of the Democratic vote are light and indicate a close race be-

or, with the chances rather favoring In the congressional race there seems to be little doubt of the renomination of Bird S. McGuire in the First district, Dick Morgan in the Second, C. E. Creager in the Third, regular Republicans, and Charles Carter in

the Fourth and Scott Ferris in the Fifth, Democrats. The "grandfather clause," the proposed constitutional amendment, denying the right of suffrage to negroes, seems to have carried by 10,000 to 15,-

BAN PUT ON MALT TRAFFIC

Vendors at Cass Lake, Minn., Ordered

to Cease Selling. Cass Lake, Minn., Aug. 3.-N. A. Way, special Indian agent, and J. J. Matulys, agent with headquarters here, went to Farris where a dance was in progress and made a search for contraband liquor. They met several rigs on the way and each was stopped and the occupants searched,

but no liquor was found. Local poolrooms were notified not to sell any more malt and were given stock of this kind they on hand.

The grade of malt handled by dealers here was of the "2 per cent variety" and "guaranteed non-intoxicating." The contents were also guaranteed to meet with the pure food laws and the companies furnishing the malt gave dealers to understand that the goods were "free from state, government and city tax."

BALLINGER IS TO DECIDE

Anti-Liquor Order Regarding Minnesota Counties Up to Secretary.

Washington, Aug. 3 .-- Secretary Bal-

linger is to be asked to decide whether liquor is to be sold in Moorhead and Polk county in Minnesota. Assistant Secretary Pierce, who is in charge of the interior department in the absence of the secretary, said that the matter would be referred to Ballinger for decision. The latter is now on his way to Seattle and all the papers relating to the matter will be sent to him there. A decision is not likely to be made for ten days or more.

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LOCAL NEWS NOTES

C. D. Peacock went to Minneapolis this afternoon.

T. R. Foley, of Aitkin, is in the

city on business. Louis Knutson, the surveyor, came

from Deerwood today. H. J. Hage, of Deerwood is transecting business in the city.

See D. M. Clark & Co. for plumbng and heating.

Miss Irene Gaffney returned yes rday from a visit at Bemidji.

Mrs. H. H. Baker and children re urned today from a visit at Nisswa. Dr. Reid, of Deerwood, is in the ty today on professional business. Miss Mabel Kronberg has re-

arned from a visit at Minneapolis. Store your household good with D. M. Clark & Co. ,

Mrs. Charles F. McCarthy went to St. Cloud this afternoon for a short Miss Genevieve Smith and Miss

Louise Corkran returned to St. Paul

Mrs. Pete Cardle and children reives at Duluth.

kin, were in the city yesterday.

Heath & Milligan paints are best. We sell them. D. M. Clark & C. 30tf

J. H. Johnson and George Johnson went to Deerwood this morning ford Life Insurance Co.

Miss Jule Thuet came from Winnipeg recently and visited her friend Miss Bessie Wieland at Hubert. She left last night for St. Paul.

Dr. E. K. Lyda, who is sojourn- full attendance is requested. ng at Lake Emily, passed through 2t the city today on his way to St. Paul where he will make various purchases for his camp.

Schmidt's bottle beer, famous for nality. Order a case. Telephone 64, John Coates Liquor Co. 282tf D. E. Whitney, of Losey & Dean,

on Monday sustained a serious wound n the scalp. While working in the tore room some heavy articles fell from the shelf and severly injured his head

B. S. Mallory leaves tomorrow to visit his son at Chicago. He will Ohio, where he was born and raised avenue and Broadway, Brocklyn. and where his wife also resided at

Now is the time to buy that lawn mower and lawn sprinkler. D. M lark & Co.

Friday afternoon the Ladies Aid of the First Baptist church will meet with Mrs. Hilton, 726 4th Ave. N. E. The ladies are requested to

YOUR COIN

bring their dollar that they have struggled so hard to earn and report how they earned it. A 15 cent lunch will be served at the close of the meeting

has installed a large plate glass front article about his cousin as it appears with a cement foundation. This is in the American Magazine. Mr. Watthe first one put in a Northeast proof of Mr. Biever's desire to do all he can to have a modern and up to Once in London I was living with my date store with plenty of light for a family at 103 Mount street. Between display of his goods.

Murallo, the sanitary wall finish, in all colors, is cheaper and better than wall paper. D. M. Clark & C. 30tf

Peter Norquist, Mrs. Eugene Wood, Mrs. Armor Thayer, Mrs. Lon Scrib-James Chadwick and laughter, Miss Lillian Chadwick, Mrs. S. V. Long, Mrs. Eben Ingersoll and Mrs. Charles Cook.

ic each. Big variety. Model Varlety Store, 615 Laurel St.

Sheriff Reid is reported to be on H. Murphy. The sheriff has dili- ory. Susie is dead." gently tracked the animal to Mille Lacs lake, down the west side of the lake, past Onamia, Lawrence and thence to Wahkon. Here the trail seems to have faded. The news from the sheriff is corroborated by a statement from Geo. C. Weaver who said he had heard that the horse had been seen near Wahkon.

off this week. Do not miss this. Model Variety Store, 615 Laurel St.

FOR SALE

PIANO. 2nd hand-Low price ALBERT ANGEL

Freeman Thorpe came from Hu- Miss Ellen Edstrom, left today for bert today and went to Minneapolis Seattle, Wash., where they will make the Swedish Lutheran church surturned today from a visit with rela- prised her as she was at her sister's home in Southeast Brainerd. J. B. Galarneault, state bank ex- Her sister, Mrs. Emil Anderson, asaminer of Minnesota, and son of Ait- sisted in entertaining the guests of the evening. Refreshments were served. The ladies left with her as might not again use it .- Exchange. a token of their esteem a fine set of silverware and many other beautiful 31tf

For a few days, commencing Wed-

A regular meeting of Brainerd Lodge No. 615, B. P. O. Elks will be held at Elks hall, Thursday evening, August 4th, 1910, at 8 P. M. A

FRED ALLISON,

From Sickness to "Excellent Health' So says Mrs. Chase. Lyon, Peoria, ered me for many months. I am now sting .- London Chronicle. enjoying excellent health which I owe to Foley Kidney Pills. sal by all druggists.

Children Crushed to Death.

New York, Aug. 3.-Three children sugar. are reported crushed to death and three more missing in a cavein of an also visit his old home at Bucyrus, excavation for a building at Howard

### Foley Kidney Pills.

Tonic in quality an daction, quick n results. For backache, headache, dizziness, nervousness, urinary ir-

regularities and rheumatism. mwf Mr. Gladstone's Catch. "How many members of this house,"

"Six hundred and fifty-eight," shouted one member.

of a debate on electoral qualifications,

"can divide £1,330 17s. 6d. by £2 13s.

"The thing cannot be done," exclaimed another.

A roar of laughter greeted this last sum of money as many times as it is evaded under the plea that she did no you repeat 5 shillings as often as there proper responses. Leaning over, h are bairs in a horse's tail you do not said in a kindly and fatherly manner: multiply 5 shillings by a horse's tail. Perhaps you did not know this before. insist in refusing to understand the Never mind; you need not be ashamed questions of counsel? You are a per of your ignorance, for it was shared. as has been demonstrated, by the ea- than average intelligence and"tire house of commons (bar one member), including the then chancellor of ed the young woman, "if it were not the exchequer.

Egyptian Cotton Crop Normal. Prospects in Egypt are for a normal cotton crop of 1,400,000 bales. Plants everywhere have a good stand, and the cultivation also is good.

\$100 Reward \$100

The readers of this paper will be leased to learn that there is at least ne dreaded disease that science has een able to cure in all its stages, and lat is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is ne only positive cure now known to medical fraternity. Catarrh being constitutional disease, requires a cononstitutional disease, requires a con-tutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh titutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh ure is taken internally, acting diectly upon the blood and mucous suraces of the system, thereby destroying he foundation of the disease, and given the patient strength by building up he constitution and assisting pature in doing its work. The proprietors ave so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dolars for any case that it falls to cure, end for list of testimonials.

Address F. J. Cheney & Co., Tolado, Sold by all druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constitution.

MEMORIES OF MARK TWAIN. Two Letters the Humorist Wrote to

Henry Watterson. "Mark Twain-An Intimate Mem-J. N. Biever, of 302 N. E. 4th Ave. ory," is the title of Henry Watterson's terson recites the following incident as being typical of Mark Twain's whim sical point of view:

"His mind turned ever to the droll

103 and 102 there was the parochia! workhouse-quite a long and imposing building. One evening, upon coming in from an outing, I found a letter he had written on the sitting room table The ladies of the Baptist Mill mis- and left with his card. He spoke of ion Ladies Aid society who went to the shock he had received upon find-Staples this afternoon to visit a form- Ing that next to 102-presumably 103er member Mrs. Wm. E. Peabody, was the workhouse. He had loved me, but had always feared that I would end by disgracing the family-being hauged, or something-but the 'work'us,' that was beyond him; he had not thought it would come to that. And so on through pages of horseplay. his relief on ascertaining the truth and learning his mistake, his regret Post cards 2 for 1c. Local views at not finding me at home, closing with a dinner invitation. Once at Geneva, in Switzerland, I received a long. overflowing letter, full of buoyant oddities, written from London. Two or the trail of the horse which was stol- three hours later came a telegram: en last Sunday evening from James 'Burn letter. Blot it from your mem-Susie was Mrs. Clemens.

#### TURKISH WOMEN.

They Are Curiously Fastidious In Some of Their Ways.

The habits of the Turkish women of Constantinople are wonderfully fastidi-For instance, when they wash their hands at a tap from which water All ladies handbags will go at 1-3 runs into a marble basin the fair ones will let the water run until a servant shuts it off, inasmuch as to do this themselves would render them "unclean." They cannot open or shut a door, as the handle would be unclean. One of these fastidious women was not long ago talking to a small niece who had just received a present of a doll from Paris. By and by the child laid the doll in the lady's lap. She was horrified and ordered the child to take it away. As the little girl would not move it and no servant was near and the lady would be defiled by touching a doll that had been brought from abroad, the only resource left her was to jump up and let the doll fall. It

> broke in pieces. Another Turkish woman would not open a letter coming by post, but required a servant to break the seal and hold the missive near her that it might be read; also should her handkerchief fall to the ground it was immediately

Defoe and Savings Banks.

founder of our first savings bank, the for 1869 was \$838,540.77. first suggestion came from Daniel Denesday, Aug. 3, we will sell any copy foe. When he found himself compelled did dome towering skyward, was ready Queen Victoria was more sparing in on business connected with the Hart- of sheet music in stock at 3 copies to hide from the bailiffs in a small for occupancy. And then the troubles her use of the address intimate. In for 25c. W. W. Kimball Co. 51tf Bristol inn be turned his enforced of the taxpayers really began. It writing to President Buchanan fifty leisure and financial failure to account by writing the "Essay on Projects." It would be the ruin of the county. deals with savings banks, friendly so There were lawsuits, then indignation of Wales she merely addressed the cieties, insurance, academies and bank rupts. On all these subjects Defoe offers from his fertile brain suggestions visors was fined for contempt of the friend." that startle the reader by their modern | federal court for refusing to make a ring. On bankrupts and savings banks levy to start the payment of the bonds Defoe naturally wrote with feeling, and orders. The supervisors calmly During his stay in Bristol he was voted to make the county pay their known as "the Sunday gentleman," Ill. "I found in your Kidney Pills owing to his natural unwillingness to a prompt and speedy cure for back- take the air except on that day of the ache and kidney trouble which both- week which deprived bailiffs of their

A Cup of Sugar.

A large china cup with a handle was

and said, "Two cents."

ies in such small quantities he said: "Have to in this neighborhood. Most

of these people live from meal to meal. which means that they buy things by measure instead of weight. Reckoned processes of refunding the debt this by the cupful, the spoonful or the pailful, they know just how much of anything they need. In order to satisfy both customers and the inspector of weights and measures we measure asked Mr. Gladstone once in the course first to suit the trade, then weigh afterward."-New York Sun.

Caught a Tartar.

Senator Theodore E. Burton of Ohio who is a bachelor and has never been ensnared by the wiles of women, tells a story of a young lady and a judge of his acquaintance. The former was remark. But it was true nevertheless. witness in the latter's court. The pros You cannot multiply or divide money ecuting attorney had repeatedly put to by money. You may repeat a smaller her questions which she persistently contained in a larger sum of money, comprehend his meaning, whereupon but that is a very different thing. If his honor undertook to bring out the "Young woman, why is it that you

son of charm, grace, beauty and more "Thank you, your honor," interrupt for the fact, judge, that I am under oath I would return the compliment.

His Trick.

A pearl belonging to her brooch had got fastened in the lace of her collar. He offered to disentangle it. "That's a great trick of mine," he

-National Monthly.

said as he wrestled with it. "Separating pearls from"-"People?" she interrupted in a fright "No," said he; "from laces."-New York Press.

Knew What He Was Doing.

Booky from whom old gent has just received 5 sovereigns at 4 to 1)-Now, then, Santa Claus, what are you biting 'em for? Do you think I'd give you wrong uns? Old Gent-Noa, laddy, it's no that; I'm just making sure that I haven't got that one back which I passed off on thee!-London Punch.

# COUNTY CLEARS

Illinois' Famous \$1,500,000 "White Elephant" Paid For.

### COURTHOUSE BEGUN IN 1867

Macoupin's Officers Built More Extravagantly Than They Anticipated, Though Without Graft, and Two Generations Have Worked to Burn the Last Bills. Residents of Macoupin county, Ill.,

had two independence days recently

at Carlinville, the county capital, when the last bond of indebtedness of what is probably the most famous courthouse in the United States was burned For over forty years a debt large enough to stagger some states has been hanging over the heads of the taxpayers. The amount of bonds and interest bearing orders issued by 'the county court in the construction of a fine courthouse was about \$1,400,000, but the cost of litigation plus interest added a large amount to the original sum.

In some respects the courthouse at Carlinville is a mystery. Just why such a fine building was built has never been fully explained. There are two reasons given by friends of the more than 200 are foreigners. commissioners who had charge of the

construction.

One of these is that county pride prompted the construction of the build ams drawn by splendid horses of ing. It is claimed that the commissioners never expected to erect such a fine structure, but overreached their lines and effectively controls traffic in plans. The second excuse is that a the streets. building of the kind would prevent the county from ever being divided and ment," he reports, "it is significant the capitol removed from Carlinville. Building Started In 1867.

It was at the March term of the county court in 1867 that an order was issued for the construction of the new building

T. L. Loomis was appointed county agent to close and sign all contracts KAISER'S PHRASE ORDINARY. made by the commissioners. During the summer and autumn of 1867 the work of excavating for the foundation and getting the building under headway progressed rapidly.

prised at the scope of the plans, but created a tempest in a teapot in Gertheir shock was mild in comparison many, where it gave fiery editorial with that of large landholders, who ex- writers an opportunity to talk belligpressed their indignation when they erently about England. went to town. The first report made destroyed or given away, so that she by Loomis showed a total expense phrase was not the product of the of \$49,942.53. A year later this had Kaiser's own pen, but that it was used Though Duncan of Duthwell was the structure. A total of the expenditures duty it is to write nice letters to presi-

At last the building, with its splen- tion.

meetings of taxpayers. A majority of the board of superfines and went ahead with their other

"Macoupin's big white elephant" was the term used by many in expressing their disapproval of the courthouse.

County Pride Triumphs. But at last a majority of the substantial citizens realized that an injury shoved across the counter and a child's to the county debt would forever Cash or credit. Terms easy. Picvoice said, "Ma wants a cupful of blight the development of the county's resources and voted to effect a The grocer filled the cup, weighed compromise and pay off the bonds and the sugar, poured it back into the cup orders. This was made possible by a takers and funeral directors. 39tf special act passed by the state assem-To a customer who expressed sur- bly in 1877, due in large part to the prise at his willingness to sell grocer- efforts of the late United States Sen-

ator John M. Palmer, whose body lies in the Carlinville cemetery. The original interest on the bonds and orders was 10 per cent, but in the was eventually cut down to 41/2 per

Accusations have often been made that there was a lot of graft in connection with the building of the courthouse. It was never really shown that those directly interested in the erection of the building had withheld any of the county's money. However, there was a woeful waste of money in the construction of such a large building, according to the general belief of the taxpayers.

The Carlinville courthouse is a maswith limestone. It was built with the Boat Supplies expectation that it would endure a century. So far there have been but few repairs made, most of these being changes in the system of heating.

#### CHINA IS AWAKENING; POSTAL SERVICE PROOF.

Mail Delivery as Far as Tibet, English Inspector Says.

"It is obviously impossible," says Sir

Robert Bredon, acting inspector general of Chinese customs, who is now in England, "for the world at large to treat as a negligible quantity, either politically or industrially, a homgeneous race of 400,000,000 human beings, a large percentage of whom are now fully alive to the potentialities of their race and country.

"As an instance of the changes in Pekin alone, Sir Robert says that "the old, unpaved, mephitic thoroughfares are giving way to spacious macadamized roads, lighted by electricity in place of the old fashioned oil lamps. An adequate and pure water supply on European lines has replaced the old

surface wells." Perhaps the most amazing progress in Chinese internal administration is that recorded in connection with the postal service. In illustration of this

Sir Robert says:

"Foot and horse couriers now penetrate lair entrame western China 2,000

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Having bought the Plumbing and Heating business lately conducted by Mr. Frank J. Murphy, we are prepared to do any work in that line.

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niles and we have postal lines flung as far as Tibet. There is also a money order system all over China, an express delivery service in every big city. There are 4,000 native postoffices, employing 15,000 persons, of whom not

repairing.

"Again," says Sir Robert, "the sedan chair is being superseded among the wealthy Chinese by the use of brough Australian breed. The police force of Pekin is now organized on American

"As regards the educational move that many high officials are maintaining schools at their own expense There is, for instance, the case of the wife of a Mongoi prince, who has at least fifty Chinese girls in a private school, w ich she maintains."

"Great and Good Friend" Not Expressive of Anything.

"Great and good friend," the phrase used by the kaiser in addressing the The Carlinville citizens were sur- Nicaraguan president, seems to have It is admitted that the familiar

grown to \$449,604.67, and the building as a mere conventional expression by was only a skeleton of the completed an official in the foreign office, whose dents and princes upon their promo

years ago thanking him for the at

tentions shown to her son the Prince

president as "My good friend," signing her letter, "Always your good When Louis Napoleon was elected president of the French republic she addressed him as "My good friend." Being a sovereign herself, when Napoleon beca te emperor she addressed

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him as "Mon frere."

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#### Removal Notice

Dr. C. A. Nelson, veterinarian, desires to announce to the public that he has removed his headquarters from Purdy's livery stable to 224 Front street, Phone 241. 50t6-wt4

#### DREADED!!

People easily constipated dread the winter. Nothing but hard, coarse meals. No fresh fruits, or vegetables to keep the stomach active. Your pest relief, your greatest friend now is Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea or Tablets, the world's tonic-physic. Do it tonight.

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### TO BUY POWER THE BEST THING

Crow Wing Dam Project Best Thing for the City Say Promoters

OUSDAHL'S FIGURES

Does Not Allow for Sinking Fund to Pay Bonds-Other

Errors Braixerd, Minn., Aug. 2, 1910. Total fuel cost \_\_\_\_\_ 9,154.50 In order that the citizens of Brain- Labor \_\_\_\_ 9,240.00 erd may more fully understand the Incidental expenses\_\_\_\_ 2,737.00 proposition I made them in the mat- Old bond interest\_\_\_\_ 4,475.00 ter of furnishing the city with curwill again repeat the proposition will note that there is no provisions and show the results to be derived made for the taking up of the large bond issue and only 5 per cent for de-

I offered, on behalf of my associ- preciation on an all steam plant ates, to furnish current to the city which is materially greater than a switch board for their distributing motor driven centrifugal pumping system for both lighting and power plant. all the current needed at a price of 7 per cent is a reasonable and prop-2 1-2 cents per K. W. and whenever er charge to allow for depreciation current needed for pumping at a price of 7 per cent depreciation\_\_ 8,750.00 1-2 cents per K. W. with the pro- Interest on old bonds\_\_\_\_ 4,475.00 visions that the city use a gravity 3 per cent sinking fund on system, which is to say, that they pump into a large tank and supply Labor \_\_\_\_ 9,240.00 the system by gravity from said tank. Incidental expenses \_\_\_ 2,737.00 That would allow the pumps to be Fuel \_\_\_\_\_ 9,154.50 Sixteen Minnesota National Banks shut down during a few hours of the peak load if found necessary. In case of fire however, we would fur- Total receipts \_\_\_\_\_\$46,047.94 nish current at any time for fire Net loss \_\_\_\_\_\$ 1,218.56

We do not ask to sell power to any one but leave the handling of that entirely to the city. We ask pole line in the city which would our central sub-station. The entire expense on the part of the city in accepting our proposition would be to remove its switch boards to our fire proof building if it should care also agreed to put in a modern steam plant as soon as it could possibly be that the city might enjoy the conveniences of electric lights this winregardless of electrical storms, dispole line. In other words we would three sources of supply.

If the present consumption is 700,000 K. W. per year as has been eported then the total cost to the city for that amount of current would be exactly \$17,500 with the most perfect condition. absolutely no uncertainties about it and no interest or depreciation with electric light and water is pure- has only fourteen." charges on any new investment or the necessity of any sinking fund.

000 gallons of water per year as has been reported as being the present consumption the required electrical energy necessary to pump said amount of water against a head of 180 which would mean not less than 55 pounds town at all times, would be 344,000 K. W. per year with the pumps developing an efficiency of 60 per cent. At a cost of 1 1-2c per K. W. this would make a total cost of \$5,164.50.

The combined cost for current for pumping and lighting would therefore be \$22,664.50.

Going further into the water works proposition and providing for all old bonded indebtedness we will have the following.

Cost of one million gallon and one 2 million gallen multistage centrifugal motor driven pumps working against the above described pressure, also a 3 million gallon centrifugal fire pump capable of boosting the pressure to 100 pounds, and all

accessories \_\_\_ \$10,000.00 Building and ground \_\_\_ 3,000.00 New mains and tank\_\_\_ 20,000.00 Consulting engineer's fees 1,500.00 New water meters\_\_\_\_ 15,000.00

Total cost of system\_\_\_\$49,500.00 Annual operating and fixed charges-Interest

on \$49,500.00 at 5 per cent \_\_\_\_\_\$ 2,475.00 Interest on old \$97,000 bonded debt \_\_\_\_\_ 4,475.00 3 per cent sinking fund on \$146,500.00\_\_\_\_ 4,395.00

Labor, oil and incidentals at pumping station\_\_\_ 3,000.00 7 per cent depreciation on \$49,500.00 plant \_\_\_\_ 3,465.00 rrent for power station \_\_\_\_ 5,164.50

Total annual charge\_\_\$22,974.50 Current for lighting sys-

Labor and operating exwe would if not more. penses \_\_\_\_\_ 3,310.00

new business each year without re-Grand total \_\_\_\_\_\$43,784.50 gard to any expense for an increase

Total of gross earnings\_\$46,047.94 in its plant which it could not do if conserve your physical forces for a the inflamed air passages of the To put in a municipal platn might Net gain \_\_\_\_\_ 2,263.44 it generated its own current. The above figures are liberal ex- There is no assest so valuable to a cept on the \$49,500.00 bond issue city as cheap power if it has any degists.

by others in estimating costs of everything to gain. steam plant.

Now let us analyze the cost of an

One estimated cost has been placed

amount \_\_\_\_\_\$12,500.00

\$222,000 debt \_\_\_\_ 6,660.00

All these calculations are under

fuel cost is correct and the above

bond interest is correct. If the in-

terest has to be fixed at 6 per cent

to effect a sale of the bonds which is

more than probable and the price of

higher and the plant should lose in

It is well understood by all those

pumping plant estimates. In the

estimates for the steam plant sub-

mitted to the council all cash on

hand was to be put into the plant

Besides other provisions you will

note there is 7 per cent on total wat-

er works investment set aside to take

unforeseen accidents and besides will

have its bonded indebtedness fully

Furthermore, in contracting with

in the form of a steam plant in your

city which would be taxable and you

in increasing the load and thereby

increasing the city's income as we

After all fixed charges are pro-

vided for as above shown the city

would receive fully as large a pro-

Furthermore the city can take on

dollar bond issue.

provided for.

has been made up as follows

Interest and depreciation

(Being presumably 5 per

10 per cent on above

all steam plant.

cent)

which is lower than they will sell sire to waken up and grow. It for in the present bond market, but means much to the city of Brainerd. I used this rate as it has been used. The city has nothing to lose and

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BAND CONCERT TONIGHT

at \$125,000.00 and the annual cost The Brainerd City Band Will Rend er the Following Program at the Depot Park Tonight

The Brainerd City band will render the following concert program at the depot park tonight. The program embraces quite a few new and

'Solid Front"-March\_H. C. Miller

Flower Girl Intermezzo"\_ ----- --- Percy Wenrich

When the Evening Breeze is Sighing"-Home Sweet Home Waltz \_\_\_\_\_ Alfred Solomon Sixty Miles an Hour"-March .-Waltz-"Thelma"-Baritone Solo 'Mary You're a Big Girl Now"-Two step\_\_\_\_Gus. A. Benkhart

### FIRST NATIONAL ON "ROLL OF HONOR"

are Accorded High Place by N. Y. "Financier"

GIVES BANK MUCH PROMINENCE

assumption however, that the above First National of Brainerd has Occupied Place on "Roll of Honor" Several Years

the banking situation in Minnesota: experience in cement work.

efficiency through use the net loss that no steam plant will keep up the makes up a table showing the num- finance committee to ascertain and and others that the Northern Pacisumed for more than a very few years have a surplus and undivided pro- carry this improvement through. if at all. In fact all the informa- fits equal to the capital of the bank. Therefore if a modern steam plant year before.

There are 269 national banks in as follows: will show a loss after figuring it over ruction of dam or accidents to the with the most favorable conditions the state, so those entitled to a place and allowing a very low sinking in the roll of honor comprise 5.9 per have two sources of supply at all fund charge which must be taken in- cent of the total number of banks. times and would have at least two to account just as well as the fuel This puts Minnesota in a place where bill, then what will happen if the it can increase its position, as it of which would be ample to carry the conditions should become unfavor- last on the list of those states which city load which would be in reality able? No business man would have ten or more honor roll banks in

think for one moment in his private relation to all banks. affairs, of entering into a business But with its sixteen banks with proposition entailing an invest- surplus and undivided profits equa ment of \$125,000 which showed up to capital in this state, there are a clear loss in the start and when in but fourteen in Wisconsin and six teen in Michigan. Colorado has one This matter of supplying the city more bank on the roll and Nebraska

ly a business proposition and should The First National bank of Brain be treated as such. If the city erd, whose surplus and undivided should buy current from my com- profits are equal to the capital of the pany it should have a net gain each bank ha sfor many years occupied year of \$2,263.44 at least, after pro- a prominent position among the viding for all the interest and sink- banks of the northwest on this roll Printing \_\_\_\_\_ ing fund for a very large bonded of honor,

debt and would also have on hand all This is a matter of great pride to Fuel er and light fund which i under- officials of that popular institution, Rental \_\_\_\_\_ stand is between 15 and 20 thou- showing that we have one of the Sinking fund \_\_\_\_\_ sand dollars, as you will note I did most solid banking institutions in Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_ not use any cash on hand in my the northwest.

Acute or Chronic-Which? No matter if your kidney trouble is acute or chronic Foley's Kidney Pills will reach your case. Mr. besides the one hunderd thousand Claude Brown, Reynoldsville, Ill., months with kidney complaint which baffled all treatments. tried Foley's Kidney Remedy and a few large bottles effected a comcare of all depreciations so that in plte cure. He says, "It has been of April 30th, balance on no case can the city lose through inestimable value to me." For sale

FUNERAL OF JAMES CURO

as you would have a big investment The Aged Father of Wesley Curo, of Jenkins Buried at Evergreen Cemetery this Afternoon

would also be patronizing a home The funeral of the late James institution instead of one of the Curo aged 74 years, the father of biggest trusts in the United States, Wesley Curo, of Jenkins, was held and printing was authorized to pur- time limit of 90 days. So there were the Coal Trust, as we would use Min- this afternoon from the undertaking chase 500 tons of Youghiogheny coal only two propositions left, the Little nesota water after one year's opera- parlors of Losey & Dean. Rev. J. A. Hilton, of the Baptist church, officiat- being the lowest bidders. It should also be remembered that ed at the ceremonies at the grave. one who was able to use lights would body was taken from that point to adjourned. patronize the city. We would also Brainerd, coming via Little Falls and solicit the use of electric signs, elec- arriving in the city on Monday morntric household utensils and would ing, the remains being accompanied work with your Commercial club at by his son and wife. There were every opportunity in securing any many friends and relatives persent kind of an industry that used pow- from Jenkins to pay their last reer; while if the city generated their spects to the dead. The sympathy of own current there would be no com- their many friends is extended the pany or person to take the interest family in their sad bereavement.

Young Roney Not Found

Nothing as yet has been heard of young Walter Roney, who disappeared a week ago tonight, notwithtem \_\_\_\_\_\$17,500.00 fit out any increase in the load as circulated that he had been found standing the rumors that have been at Littl Falls and at Duluth.

> avoid the ills of advancing years; to toms disappear. It soothes and heals three propositions before the people. ripe and healthful old age, guard head, throat and bronchial tubes, take 8 months or more. your kidneys by taking Foley's Kid- It contains no opiates and no harmful ney Remedy. For sale by all drug- drugs. Refuse substitutes. For

### SCHOOL BOARD MET MONDAY NIGHT

Two Teachers Resign-Gymnasium and Assembly Room to be Equipped

USUAL BILLS WERE ALLOWED

Treasurer L. P. Johnson Submits Two Reports Which are Referred to Finance Com.

The school board met in regular ession on Monday evening and all were present except President W. E -----W. Sweeney Erickson and Messrs. LaBar and of the board. The minutes of the -----Percy Wenrich last meeting were read and approved

This last piece is played by request bracing among other things the following items: Books sold amounting to \_\_\_\_ \$76.72

Bought back books\_\_\_\_\_ 54.90

The committee on school buildings and grounds submitted a report to the effect that repair work was going on in proper shape and that ce- BIG ATTENDANCE AT MEETING ment walks were being laid as instructed. They also reported that they had instructed Armor Thayer, the janitor of the Lowell school, to act as inspector on cement work be-

tion the writer can obtain on the According to this table there are mitted his quarterly report for the to state what proposition was before subject there is no steam lighting sixteen national banks entitled to term commencing April 30th, 1910 the meeting. plant in the state operating on a this place in 1909 as against thir- and ending July 31st, 1910, which Mayor Ousdahl said that all propmaximum efficiency as above quoted. teen the year previous and ten the was accepted and referred to the fi- ositions as made to the council and nance committee. His report reads the Water and Light board had been

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·	Balance on hand\$ 6,540.3	l
e.	Sale of text books 41.7	2
S	County treasurer, teach-	
h	ers' fund 15,634.8	3
n	County treasurer, build-	
11	ing fund 1,265.9	6
h	County treasurer, sinking	
	fund 3,921.6	8
1	County treasurer, local	
е	1 mill 1,102.4	2
-	Tuition 32.00	0
e	Miscellaneous receipts 83.86	
a		
-	Total \$28,622.7	2
d	DISBURSEMENTS.	
e	Salaries\$ 8,732.2	7
1	Insurance 50.80	0
e	Supplies 180.23	2

Text books \_\_\_\_\_ money which it now has in the wat- the city and a credit to the managing Interest on bonds \_\_\_\_\_ 200.50 ruling he had made. To carry such

Total \_\_\_\_\_\$28,622.72 sistant, Mr. Smith. The treasurer, L. P. Johnson, also Mr. Gemmell asked the mayor the condition of the sinking fund Water and Light board could agree writes us that he suffered many for the period ending July 31st, 1910 on any proposition. which was referred to the finance Mrfl Ousdahl said the special committee. The report reads as fol- meeting lately announced had been lows:

> hand \_\_\_\_\_\$ 5,994.57 Mr. Gemmell stated that he had July 19th, from county July 30th interest First National \_\_\_\_\_ uly 30th interest Citizens State bank\_\_\_\_\_

The janitors pay roll amounting Mayor Ousdahl said it was not a

They Have a Definite Purpose

Foley Kidney Pills give quick relief in cases of kidney and bladder plant was desired. The bond mark-"After suffering for many bonds. years from a serious case of kidney trouble and spending much money for so called cures, I found Foley could be sold without a vote. Kidney Pills the only medicine that Mr. Courtney wished to know to gave me a permanent cure. I am what extent a city could go in the again able to be up and attend to my work. I shall never ensitate to way of a bonded indebtedness. recommend them." For sale by all City Attorney Ryan said there was

For Quick Relief From Hay Fever, Mr. M. T. Dunn, president of the take Foley's Honey and Tar. It on. He stated he had come to lisquickly relieves the discomfort and To keep your health sound, to suffering and the annoying sympmwf sale by all druggists.

# Just cut in two

We refer to the price on our suits. We still have some excellent ones remaining and the prices are just cut in two. This is the greatest of bargains. Will you select yours now or wait until it is too late?

gave their figures they were always

Mr. Allbright asked how long it

the best ones they could produce.

Mr. Hemstead seemed to favor

open to censure for their continual

jangling. The citizens did not care

who was right or wrong, they wanted

Mr. Dunn explained the position of

his board and objected to being cen-

At the conclusion Mr. Gemmell

thanked all present for the large at

A. A. Powers, Agent of the Parker

Shows is Making Preparations

A. A. Powers, agent of the Parker

shows, is in the city making prepa-

rations for the great carnival week

sociation and a percentage of all the

Mr. Powers stated his shows

would occupy Front street from

Fourth near the Brainerd grocery

Co. to Broadway. This is the same

aggregation of attractions which was

here five years ago and gave such

universal satisfaction. The only

difference is that it has been great-

ly improved and more interesting

features added. They come direct

from Winnipeg to Brainerd. From

Brainerd they go to Mason City, Ia.,

where they will be the chief attrac-

tion at a fair. From there they go

to the Iowa state fair at DesMoines.

Their appearance at Brainerd will

be the last street fair they give, as

the rest of the season will be devot-

ed to showing at county and state

meritorious purpose.

For Carnival Week

in about 60 days.

municipal plant.

of production.

something done.

"MICHAEL'S"

"MICHAEL'S"

### BACK TO THE

CANDLES

It Hardly Seems Possible That Any Kind of a Plant Can be Installed Within 90 Days

Commercial Club Rooms Were Filled By a Large Audience Last Night

The St. Paul Pioneer Press has ment work being done there, this the committee of five of the Commerthe following to say in reference to gentleman having had considerable cial club, Dr. Walter Courtney pre-The committee also reported that filled with an audience interested to Financier of New York there are the lowest figures obtainable to fit know the present status of affairs sixteen national banks in Minneso- up a gymnasium and assembly room pertaining to the water and light ta entitled to a place on its "roll of was \$835. This sum being rather plant situation of the city. Due nofamiliar with the use of machinery honor." The Financier annually large the matter was referred to the tice had been given all city officers ber of banks in each state which report if funds were available to fic railway would cease supplying

The treasurer, L. P. Johnson, sub- Con O'Brien asked the chairman

published in the Brainerd Daily Disitated was in whose hands the work of contracting for a plant was to The city attorney had tendance. The ruled that the Water and Light board and the council will confer Board had such power. The matter next Monday evening and expect to had been submitted to the attorney have engineer Clausen of St. Paul general of the state and a decision present. would be reached some time this

Con O'Brien asked how cheaply electricity could be generated by

Mayor Ousdahl replied that it could be produced at about two and one half cents per kilowatt. The rate depended a good deal on the quantity produced.

Con O'Brien though that ten years 34.00 wear on machinery would make a dif-39.14 ference in the cost of production.

City Attorney Ryan explained the 46.44 a matter through the courts would 3,921.68 involve a long delay and would tie 166.10 up things. Therefore he had placed Balance or hand \_\_\_\_\_ 15,058.82 the matter before the attorny gen-

submitted his quarterly report of point blank if the council and the

called for the purpose of coming to an agreement.

been reliably informed that the Nortreasurer \_\_\_\_ 3,921.68 thrn Pacific railway could not furnish the city any current after Oc-43.45 tober 31st, as it needed all the power it produced. To have light in 40.08 Brainerd by that time it was impossible to consider the plan of a mun-Total \_\_\_\_\_\$ 9,999.78 icipal lighting plant as such a plant The committee on fuel supplies could not be installed within the from the Mahlum Lumber Co., they Falls and the Crow Wing propositions.

if we should receive a contract to The deceased passed away at Cliff, to \$275, the superintendent's salary question of machinery but a quesfurnish current we would be vital- Wash., whither he had gone with his bill and the usual grist of small bills tion of who should do the work, the ly interested in seeing that every- wife to improve his health. The were allowed after which the board council or the Water and Light board.

> necessary preliminaries incidental to a bond issue in case a municipal ailments. Mrs. Rose Glaser, Herre et was also in poor shape just now. Haute, Ind., tells the result in her Mr. Keene said it took time to sell Mayor Ousdahl said some bonds

Mr. Gemmell called attention to the

mwf no limit when municipal lighting improvements were to be installed.

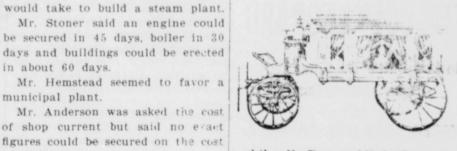
Asthma and summer bronchitis, Water and Light board was called ten and learn. He mentioned the

> M. D. Stoner was called on and mwf outlined his proposition as published

#### in today's paper. He explained var-Undertaking and ious points asked him and answered many questions W. D. McKay said the present was **Funeral Directors** an age of water and power and not of steam. When municipal plants

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> McNamara & Co. Laurel Street

Res. Imperial Blk. Flat 3 Supt. Gibbson, of the N. P. tie plant spoke on the cost of producing

For Quick Shoe Reparing Dr. Beise spoke about Minneapolis The Wide-Awake Shoe Shop Alderman Henning and Dieckhaus

> R. G. A. MAGNUSSON. Aitkin, Minn.

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money made will thus go to most Boat will leave on call from Spalding Hotel and Patterson's Dock, Deerwood, After schedule Time at All Hours

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en the rank of minister plenipotentiary

to attend King Edward in his five

weeks' tour to Lisbon, Naples, Rome

The king formed the highest opinion

the greatest reliance upon his judg-

that it was to their advantage to re-

tain in the service of the foreign office

For two years (1904-6) Sir Charles

The extremely delicate international

crisis arising out of that unfortunate

blunder, the firing on British fishing

boats on the Dogger bank by the Rus-

sian fleet on its way to Japan, taxed



### THE UGLY LEOPARD

He Is a Cattle Thief and Even a Human Being Thief.

WORSE THAN LION OR TIGER.

Strangles It.

and from southern China to the Black sea, where it is sometimes met with in

leopards from different parts of the world. On some the ground color is almost white, in others a clear nut brown. Others are jet black.

Wherever they live leopards are cattle thieves, sheep thieves, dog thieves and human being thieves. Though not formidable in appearance, they are immensely strong, and it is not unusual for them to turn man eater. Both in India and in Africa they have been known to set up in this line as deliberately as any tiger. They have four or five young at a birth. The cubs can be kept tame for some time and are amusing pets, but it is extremely dangerous to have them about.

In Hongkong an Englishman had a tame leopard. It was brought into the dining room by a coolie to be exhibitthe smell of food, the leopard refused to go out when one of the women who did not like his looks, asked that it be removed. The coolie took hold of its collar and began to haul it out. It dian fighting on the frontier seized him by the neck, bit it through and in a minute the coolie was dying. covered with blood, on the dining room floor.

The Chinese leopard ranges as far the latter, seems to grow larger the horn river was farther north it is found. The color 1876, when C of these northern leopards is very pale, of whom the spots are large and the fur is very

The patives of all countries are upan imous in declaring that the leopard more dangerous than the lion or They have no fear of the lion tirenes: they are not hunting for . provided not attack unless r at, for it will leopard is never to woveked, but a

In Africa a r oe trusted. firing the re amber of natives were eds along a stream. One of boy, being thirsty and hot, ed down to drink. He was immeately seized by a leopard. The boy's brother, with an admirable aim, hurled his spear at the leopard while the boy was in his jaws. The point separated the vertebrae of the neck, and the could not recover. The leopard's fangs view through the cavity of the ribs. He died during the night.

Leopards are essentially tree living and nocturnal animals. Sleeping in through the lines, and the mortality trees or caves by day, they are seldom disturbed. They do an incredible amount of mischief among cartle, calves, sheep and dogs, being especial-

ly fond of killing and eating the latter. They seize their prey by the throat and cling with their claws until they succeed in breaking the spine or in strangling the victim. They have a habit of feeding on putrid flesh. This makes wounds inflicted by their teeth or claws liable to blood poisoning. Nothing in the way of prey comes amiss to them, from a cow in the pasture to a fowl up at roost.

In the great mountain ranges of central Asia the beautiful snow leopard is found. It is a large creature, with thick, woolly coat and a long tail like a fur boa. The color is white, clouded with beautiful gray, like that of an Angora cat. The edges of the cloudings and spots are marked with black or darker gray. The eyes are very large, bluish gray or smoke colored. It lives on the wild sheep, ibex and other mountain animals. In captivity it is far the tamest and gentlest of the ing. They were killed, but not distruck had pacsed. "That wouldn't stop large carnivora, not excepting the pul graced.-Detroit Frce Press.

ma. Unlike the latter, it is a si-

quiet animal, like a domestic. The West African leopard shin is more handsome than the Asiatic, the spots being very distinct and clear. He and she-they usually go in couplesare fond of hunting cantonments and around native towns, where they pick up a goat and now and then a baby. One night I was camped in a native town and after I had retired the natives, as was their custom, were sitting Seizes Its Prey by the Throat and about a great fire asking my enravan Clings With Its Claws Until It all sorts of questions, for the African Breaks the Spine of Its Victim or savage is the greatest gossip to the world. Suddenly a child's cry rang out, followed by a great clamor, Rush-Less in size, but even more ferocious, ing out to discover the cause of alarm, the leopard has a worse character than 1 was informed that a leopard had the tiger or lion. Living mainly in stolen from the darkness and quick as trees and very nocturnal, this fierce a flash had grabbed a four-year-old and dangerous beast is less often seen | child and made off with it. The child than far rarer animals. It is widely was seated in the midst of the grown spread over the world from the Cape | men and women. The latter could of Good Hope to the Atlas mountains only lament their loss. They knew it was useless to try to pursue the beast into the dense bush.

daylight he will wander about a town lished letter which brought about the Any one who has frequented the zoo or a white man's premises. It is not for any time must have noticed the at all unusual to get a good shot at a dale. difference in size and color between leopard from a bungalow veranda of

### CUSTER'S LAST FIGHT.

The Famous Battle of the Little Bighorn River.

General George A. Custer was one of the most notable cavalry officers dereloped during the war of the rebelion. It was his fortune to be in the thick of the conflict within a few lays after leaving the training school at West Point, and from that time until the day of his death his life was filled with strenuous work and stirring adventure, in which he was frequently exposed to deadly peril.

came with what is known in history languages. I' edy, but he died like a soldier.

For a number of years after the ci war Custer had been engaged 5

The famous expedit north as the Siberian tiger and, like to the famous batt' which Tex up India and in China, and there was need . emoral Terry, bis officers, . ocos left Fort Lincoln, Dakota. St. Petersburg to be assistant under-

.ery one realized that the campaign secretary for foreign affairs at home. was likely to be a decisive one. It was polynomed to strike the Indians a serious blow-one from which they could not recover.

The advance was begun under favorable conditions, and the Little Bighorn mountains were reached on June 25 and the Indian village located. A slight accident gave the red men warning. Nobody knows exactly how the battle of Little Bighorn was fought. The statements made afterward by the Indians were contradictory, but they all agreed that Custer's appear- ing of the great statue of independ ance was a great surprise. The best evidence shows that the Indians closed leopard fell stone dead. But the boy in on both right and left and placed Custer at office on the defensive. Closer had torn open his chest and injured the and closer the coil tightened around lungs. The latter were exposed to that plucky band. One after the other of the troopers fell, the horses were stampeded, the ammunition ran low, no messenger had been able to break

> among the officers was heavy. Then Custer had his troops fire two volleys in succession, the usual cry for help. It was heard in Reno's camp. Its significance was understood, but no help came. Soon came the final act of the tragedy. The Indians closed in from all sides, led by the cruel chiefs Crow King, Gall, Crazy Horse and Rain-in-the-Face. It was a hand to hand fight. It was 150 against 1.000. pian way and completed the Appian Grouped about Custer were twenty or thirty desperate men. They fought prudence, oratory, grammar and Latin with their leader, they fought for their

> Not an American officer or soldier world was the bravery, devotion to better illustrated. Almost without exception the bodies of the men were found just where they had fought Each company was in the place assigned, troopers in line and their officers in position. They fought a losing at the corner and waved his hat battle, but they fought without flinch- "Ding it!" in exclaimed when the

leader, until the last man lay dead,

INDIA'S NEW VIGEROY SAPIENT ARISTOGR

Sir Charles Hardinge Type of Class That Once Ruled by Right and Now Governs by Capacity.

-000 000-IR CHARLES HARDINGE, the made him a persona grata at court. new viceroy of India, is the su- The tact which had made him so sucpreme type of an aristocracy cessful a diplomatist was equally servthat has adapted itself to the iceable to him at court. Almost imconditions of democracy. He repre- mediately after his recall he was givsents a hereditary ruling class which has beaten its swords into plowshares and which, having abandoned and Paris, in which the foundations of its claim to rule by right, continues to the ententes with Portugal, Italy and rule by sheer virtue of its capacity for | France were laid. government

Sir Charles Hardinge is the perfect of his tact and character and placed diplomatist. His personal characteristics qualify him in an exceptional degree for enunciating a policy in such a way as to reduce to a minimum the possible occasions for opposition and one who possessed so completely the friction. He is a man whose culture | confidence of the king. and refinement impress every one who comes into contact with him. His man-Hardinge returned to St. Petersburg ners are gracious and dignified. as ambassador to the Russian court.

Iron Hand Apparent.

His temper and his expression are always thoroughly under control. He never loses his temper, he never raises his voice, and he never declaims. There is about his manner, however, something that suggests calm and resourceful strength. One feels that there is an iron hand beneath the velvet glove. Not for a moment, even when he defers to others, does he give an impression of weakness. There is bout him nothing of that sly, insinu-

ancinous manner which is fa-

ating. or professed diplomatists. miliar amo. · his spars in diplo After winning " withdrawn from macy he was quicki, - mouthpiece the task of being a mer-'a foreign to that of helping to frame th. · durpolicy of the British empire, and ing the last four years, in which he has acted as permanent undersecretary of state for foreign affairs, his influence has become so powerful as to cause uneasiness to many Liberals. who dread a dictatorship.

It frequently happens that the real powers behind the throne are unknown to the many. A remark by Sir Charles Dilke upon the most powerful men in the British empire today was recently quoted. The remarkable thing about each of these men was that none of them figured largely in the public eye. Sir Charles Hardinge was one, and two others were the archbishop of Canterbury and Lord Esher, concerning whom the kaiser is said to have made some The leopard is so bold that even in dippant remark in the famous unpubresignation of the Marquis of Tweed-

Rapid Rise In Power.

Sir Charles Hardinge's career has been one of lightning rapidity. After his Harrow and Cambridge days were over he proceeded at once, at the age of twenty-two, to Constantinople as attache at the embassy. Thereafter in rapid succession he passed through the embassies at Berlin, Washington, Sofia, Bucharest, Paris, Teheran and St. Petersburg, in which he served in capacities of ever increasing importance. until in 1898 he was appointed first secretary to the embassy at St. Peters

His iongest and most important serv ices were in the near east on the Balkan states, in Persia and in Russia, in the Turkish of order proficiency The closing chapter of his life, which in the Turkish, are with what is known in history languages. It force ments with regard to Persia, Af- which he was determined to force ments with regard to Persia, Af- which he was determined to force ments with regard to Persia, Af- which he was determined to force ments with regard to Persia, Af- which he was determined to force ments with regard to Persia, Af- which he was determined to force ments with regard to Persia, Af- which he was determined to force ments with regard to Persia, Af- which he was determined to force ments with regard to Persia, Af- which he was determined to force ments with regard to Persia, Af- which he was determined to force ments with regard to Persia, Af- which he was determined to force ments with regard to Persia, Af- which he was determined to force ments with regard to Persia, Af- which he was determined to force ments with regard to Persia, Af- which he was determined to persiant to pe the avidity with which he

tries, that gave him his opportunity. United States. Many of the east ments were among the bistory of onds ost thrilling eastward. Britain had vast ests at stake in Asia and in the east ests at stake in Asia and in the east were modifier and the east events were gravity in world policy has been movin the history of and an extrare in ern Mediterranean, Great events were brewing in Macedonia, in Persia, in of the Little Big- of a man at the helm in the British for whated on May 17, eign office who knew the eastern ques tion in all its phases. In 1903 Sir General Custer was one, and Charles Hardinge was recalled from

Persona Grata at Court.

Once he was settled in London Sir Charles Hardinge's personal gifts soon

MEXICO TO UNVEIL STATUE.

Independence Monument Is 133 Feet

High and of Marble.

One of the interesting features of the centennial celebration in Mexico city in September will be the unveil ence, on the famous Paseo de la Reforma. This huge monument is 133 feet high. Some of the marble is white carrara, the remainder coming from Mexico quarries.

The four figures of the socle, which rises from the plinth, represent Law Resistance, Force and Progress, and on Hidalgo y Costilla, fugleman of liberty, the George Washington of Mexico.

Appius Claudius.

Appius Claudius, surnamed Caecus (the blind), was a Roman statesman who lived during the third century before the Christian era. He was a Roman censor, 312 to 308, and consul, 307 to 296. He commenced the Apaqueduct. From his Roman jurisprose date their beginning. He abolished the limitation of the full right of citizenship to landed proprietors. lived to tell the tale of "Custer's last In his old age he is said to have be fight." Never in the history of the come blind, whence his cognomen "Caecus." He was the author of duty and perfect discipline of troops works in both prose and verse, of which almost nothing is known.

Poor Service.

as the fire truck came clanging along the street car tracks Uncle Ben stood neither."-Bufalo Express.

**\*\***\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* PROGRESS.

We are sending word by wireless: We've a cooker that is fireless: he inventors all are tireless

In their efforts to invent things which shall be both strange and new; We have railways that are gasless; We have railways that are pass-

But a country that was classless, Though we all hate snobs like poison, would appeal to very few.

We have palm rooms that are heat-We have dinners that are meatless;

We have wheat pits that are wheat-And the day no doubt is coming when the horse will disappear; We have wagons that are shaftless:

We've a White House that is Taft-

But a city that is graftless Seems to be a thing they haven't built upon this hemisphere.

—S. E. Kiser in Chicago Record-

the bedchamber to Queen Alexandra ment. Instead of being jealous of this The traitza, as a daughter of the attachment ministers wisely realized Princess Alice, spent many of her school days at Osborne House, in the Isle of Wight, and there she had for companion the future Lady Hardinge. The warm friendship which existed between the tsaritza and the companion of her girlhood smoothed many difficulties from the ambassador's task. Lady Hardinge's intimate relations with the English court also stood her husband in good stead.

Not a Politician.

to the utmost the resources of diplo-Abstinence from party politics is one macy to prevent an open rupture. He of the chief elements in the strength also had the handling of the inter- of the British civil service. Lord national agreement with regard to Curzon went to India with the train-Macedonia, and he paved the way for ing and with the instincts of a polithe Anglo-Russian alliance based upon tician. He had a policy of his own



SIR CHARLES HARDINGE, ENGLISH DIFLOMAT WHO IS VICEROY OF INDIA,

was this experience, to I ghanistan and Tibet, which is now an accomplished fact. On the accestimself master of everything that sion of a new government to power, refrained to the policy of these coun- with Sir Edward Grey as foreign minister, he was recalled once more to For many years past the center of London, this time as permanent head of the foreign office.

Influence Over Foreign Policy.

The influence which Sir Charles Hardinge has acquired over foreign policy during the last four years has been quiet and unobtrusive, but none the less marked. He has carried on no propaganda; he has never agitated or intrigued; his victories have been entirely victories of character and intellectual force.

An important factor in his career has been his marriage to the Hon. Winifred Selina, a daughter of the first Lord Alington and a woman of

BUILD HOUSE FROM ONE TREE TURKISH SOLDIERS FATALISTS Forty Thousand Feet of Lumber In

Single Fir. A fourteen room two story and a half house, built entirely of the lumber from a single fir tree, was recently

completed at Elma, Wash. The tree was a giant Douglas fir and was felled west of the town. It was marvelously straight and when scaled was found to contain 40,000 feet of serviceable lumber. The tree was cut into six logs, the first or butt being twenty-eight feet

a pedestal is the venerable Miguel in length. Inside the bark the stump ing troops, he is hard to beat. measured seven feet and nine inches in diameter. The distance to the first limb of this tree was 100 feet, and the total height of the tree was more than 300 feet. At the standard price of \$25 per

thousand, the lumber in this one tree was worth more than \$1,000.

Where to Begin.

"Look here." said the reforming husband: "we must have things arranged in this house so that we shall know just where everything is kept." "With all my heart," sweetly an-

swered his wife, "and let us begin with your late hours, my love. ! should very much like to know where they are kept."-Stray Stories.

A Boomerang. "Call that art!" exclaimed a would be critic, pointing to a painting in a studio. "If that daub is a work of art, then I'm an idiot!"

"The latter part of your statement," rejoined the artist calmly, "would seem to furnish conclusive proof that it is a stepping stones to success.—Hallibur.

Wing, ss.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record this 1st strument w work of art."

upon his government, and when he

out the policy of the government, and the very completeness with which he identifies himself with that policy will identifies himself with that policy will cause said certificate to be duly filed to be duly filed by the control of the cont but increase his opportunities of in recorded and published as required by fluencing and modifying it.

genius-if he were he should feel less sure of his fitness to rule over Indiabut he is a man of common sense. cool judgment, more than ordinary in Pres strength of character and conscientious devotion to duty. Men of his type are at once more useful and less dangerous than men of genius in control of public affairs."

Makes Army Hard to Beat by Ordinary Troops. The lethargy of mind, which is the

mental habit of the Turkish soldierthe personal expression of fatalismis a most valuable quality in its way. for it means that its possessor is always cool and collected, grumbles little and has marvellous endurance. It is alien to all forms of panic, just

as it is alien to a conspicuous elan. If the Turkish soldier never goes very fast, he never goes very slow. Except by the best trained or most dash-

Watering the Horse. It is allowable when a horse is hot to let him have three or four swallows of cool water, but no more. The few swallows will help cool him, and another limited drink may be given every few minutes for four or five times. after which he may drink his fill without danger. In careless or inexperienced hands, however, the only safe way is to let the horse stand for half an hour or more with no water until he is fairly cooled off .- Country Life In America

Descriptive. "The eye of a little miss was attracted by the sparkle of dew at early morning. "Mamma," she exclaimed. "it's hotter'n I thought it was."

"What do you mean?" "Look here; the grass is all covered with perspiration."-St. Louis Star.

PLAN WASHINGTON STATUE.

Spokane to Have a Hundred Foot Figure of Re-enforced Concrete. The Spokane (Wash.) branch of the

Sons of the American Revolution will erect a statue of George Washington. 100 feet from the base to crown, in Cliff park, Spokane, to be completed in 1914, the twenty-fifth anniversary of the admission of Washington to state hood. The president of the United cure should be and is honored fo States, together with prominent men his determination to rid himself of and women from various parts of the the damnable curse that liquor wil the unveiling ceremonies.

The statue, to be constructed of concrete re-enforced and occupy a circular rock rising 100 feet above the highest point in Cliff park, will cost \$50,000 It will be modeled on the lines of the statue in Independence hall at Philadelphia, declared to be the most acceptable likeness of the Father of His Country. The base will bear this in scription: "The First American. Let Every American Aspire to the Measure of This Man."

The Orkney Islands.

"The member from the Orkneys" is the only man in the British house of commons who can say he sits for 200 person addicted to the drink habit islands. Only sixty of the islands are lowes to his family, relatives, friends, inhabited, but the constituency em- society and the public, also every braces more than 60,000 people.

The Orkneys were once given by Norway to England as security for a queen's dower and never redeemed. in the islands the voters must go to the polls by boats, and in some cases the of their guaranteed Bond and Condistance to be traveled is eight miles.

First Aid.

"Yow," said the professor, "suppose you had been called to see a patient Institute, \$87 West Seventh, corner with hysterics-some one, for instance, who had started laughing and found it impossible to stop-what is the first thing you would do?"

"Ampurate his funny bone," promptly replied the new student .- Houston

Puzzled Tommy. school teacher says if I'm good I'll go

to heav "Well, what about it?" said his pa. "Well, you said if I was good I'd go to the circus. Now, I want to know who's fibbing, you or her." - Lippincott's.

State of Minnesota, County of Crow Wing, ss We, Chester D. Tripp and Oliver C Foreman, who are respectively the President and Secretary of Interstate Exploration Company, a corporated duly created, organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the second control of the laws of the second control of the seco fice of Rogers-Brown Ore company at the office of Rogers-Brown Ore company at Deerwood, Crow Wing County, Minnesota on the 15th day of July 1910 at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at which meeting all the stockholders of said orporation were present or duly re ented and then and there sever executed an express written on the records of said corporati lutions are in words and fig

certificate of incorporation of Inter-state Exploration Company be and it hereby is amended so as to read as fol-

ARTICLE V.

The amount of capital stock of this company shall be Four hundred thousand dollars (\$400,000.00), divided into sand dollars (\$400,000.00) shares ed into sand dollars (\$400,000.00), dividence of courthousand (4,000) shares and into value of One hundred dollars (\$100.00) rectors may derect the board of dition may be a cermine. This corporasand for some sand for the capital is subscribed for value of capital is subscribed for the capital capita tion may be an busines when Ten thousand are an busines when Ten thousand pairs (\$10,000.00) par value of capital is subscribed for and taken. Be it Resolved Further that Article VI of the certificate of incorporation of Interstate Exploration Company be and it barely is amended so as to read as

ARTICLE VI. failed to carry his policy he had no option but to resign the viceroyship.

Shall at any time be subject is Foundard thousand dollars (\$400,000.)

Be it Resolved Further that the Pres Sir Charles Hardinge goes to carry ident and Secretary of this corporation but the policy of the government, and directed to execute according to law

In testimony whereof we have here The most characteristically English comment upon his appointment has been that of the Times: "No one would pretend that he is a man of would pretend that he should feel less that the state of the work he should feel less that the state of the work he should feel less that the state of the work he should feel less that the state of the work he should feel less that the state of the work he should feel less that the state of the work he should feel less that the state of the work here. The subscribed our names respective unto subscribed our names respective.

OLIVER C. FOREMAN

State of Minnesota, County of Crow

H. J. KRUSE,

Wing, ss.
On this 16th day of July 1910, before me, a Notary Public within and for said county, personally appeared Chester D. Tripp, to me personally known who, being by me first duly sworn on oath did say that he is the president of the Intertsate Exploration Company, the did say that he is the president of the Intertsate Exploration Company, the corporation named in the foregoing instrument, and that the seal affixed to said instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation; and that the foregoing copy of resolutions is a true and correct copy of the resolutions duly adopted at a meeting of the stockholders of Interstate Exploration Company, which was held at the time and place as afore-Interstate Exploration Company, White was held at the time and place as aforesaid, and of the whole thereof; that said Chester D. Tripp acknowledged said instrument to be the free act and deed of said corporation and of himself.

Notary Public of Crow Wing (Notarial Seal)

Ounty, Minn.

My commission expires May 11, 1917.

State of Illinois, County of Cook, ss. On this 15th day of July 1910, before, me a notary public within and for said county, personally appeared Oliver C. Foreman, to me personally known, who, being by me first duly sworn on cath did say that he is the secretary of the Interstate Exploration Company, the corporation named in the foregoing instrument, and that the seal affixed to said instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation; and that the foregoing copy of resolutions is a true and correct copy of the resolutions duly adopted at a meeting of the stockholders of Interstate Exploration Company, which was held at the time and place as aforesaid, and of the whole thereof; that said Oliver C. Foreman acknowledged said instrument to be the free act and deed of said corporation and of himself.

GUY 12. SUMMICIS.

Notary Public of Cook

(Notarial Seal) County, Illinois, My commission expires May 3. .912.

State of Minnesota, Department of

State.

I hereby cetrify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 22nd day of July A. 1910 at 11 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book T3 of incorporations on page 162 JULIUS A. SCHMAHL. Secretary of State

No. 40540. State of Minnesota, County of Crow

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